

Third Interrogatory. - Did John Willard die leaving real estate, if yes, describe it, and where situated - Look at Exhibits A to 445, do they embrace the lands whereof the said John Willard died seized and possessed.

Fourth Interrogatory. - Did you ever see John Willard sign his name, if yes, look at the papers now shown you, marked Exhibits 1 &c. Are or are not the signatures to said Exhibits in the hand writing of John Willard - Look at Exhibit A to 3 - Do you or do you not know whether the articles charged therein were sold to John Willard at the prices therein charged - and how do you know it, state fully all your knowledge herein -

Fifth Interrogatory. - Was or was not John Willard much indebted at the time of his death, if yes, is his personal estate sufficient to pay his debts, will a sale of his real estate be necessary for that purpose - state fully all your knowledge herein -

Sixth. Did John Willard die testate or intestate. Lastly - Do you know, or have you heard of any other matter or thing that would tend to the benefit or advantage of Complainant in this cause, if yes, state the same as fully as if specially interrogated thereto.

Filed August 5th 1856.

(John J. Ross, Solicitor  
for Complainant)

Maryland, Sc



The State of Maryland, To Grayson Eichelberger Esq. of Frederick County,  
Greeting: Be it known that you are appointed Commissioners to examine  
evidences in a cause depending in the Circuit Court for Frederick County, as a court of equity,  
between Rail Storrs, Complainant, and Louisa Willard, Adm'r of John Willard & others.  
defendants - You are therefore required, having first taken the oaths hereunto annexed, and  
also administered the annexed oath to the person whom you shall appoint as Clerk to  
attend the execution of this commission, that at such time and place as to you shall seem  
convenient, you cause to come before you all such evidences as shall be named, & produced  
to you by either the Complainant or Defendants, and that you examine them on their  
corporal oaths, to be by you administered upon the Holy Evangelic of Almighty God, touching  
their knowledge or remembrance of anything that may relate to the cause aforesaid; and  
that you cause notice to be given to the parties or their Attorneys, of the execution of the  
commission, before you execute the same; and having reduced the depositions of the  
witnesses, so taken by you into writing, you send the same with this commission, closed  
under your hand and seal into the court as a court of equity, with all convenient speed.  
Witness the Honorable Madison Nealon, Judge of our said Court, the 7th day of July A.D. 1856.  
Signed the 5th day of August 1856.

Edward Shriver, CLK.

#### Commissioner's Oath.

You shall, according to the best of your skill and knowledge, truly faithfully, and without  
partiality to any or either of the parties, take the examinations and depositions of all  
and every witness and witnesses produced and examined by virtue of the commission  
hereunto annexed, upon the interrogatories now, or which may hereafter, before the  
said commission is closed, be produced to, and left with you, by either of said parties.

To help your God

#### Clerk's Oath.

You shall truly, faithfully, and without partiality to any or either of the parties in this  
cause, take, write down, and transcribe the depositions of all and every the witness and  
witnesses produced and examined by the Commissioner named in the commission hereunto  
annexed, as far forth as you are directed and employed by the said Commissioner to take, write  
down, and transcribe the said depositions or any of them To help your God.

Grayson Eichelberger  
Commissioner

Summons

Return  
of  
Complaint  
to take  
Testimony